

CITY HAPPENINGS AND
PERSONAL MENTION

E. B. Wright, Welaka merchant, was a visitor in the city on Wednesday.

A special meeting of the Woman's Club is called for today, July 2nd, at 4 p. m., at the Guild Hall.

Mrs. Alston Haile leaves Monday for Saginaw, Michigan, where she will enjoy a six weeks sojourn.

Mrs. Jerry Sullivan and little son, Jack, will leave today for Tennessee to spend the balance of the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Fearnside are going over to Daytona Beach in a few days to enjoy the salt air and hear what the wild waves are saying.

Mrs. F. C. Cochran left on Monday for Oklahoma where she will visit a time before going to California to view the great exposition.

The pretty oak-shaded river town of Welaka is to celebrate the glorious Fourth on Monday with a big picnic and games. Pretty town, good people and hospitable.

Mrs. Alice Cochran who has been with her mother, Mrs. Lillian Knight, for two weeks left Monday for Jacksonville where she will visit a few days with friends before going on to Atlanta and Chattanooga to spend the remainder of the summer.

Frank J. Fearnside Jr., who has been touring through Georgia, Tennessee and the west as far as Oklahoma, returned home early in the week loaded with experiences that a younger man filled with rich red blood can appreciate. He enjoyed the trip.

J. H. Yelverton, Jr., whose business in furniture and house furnishing goods generally has grown by leaps and bounds from the time he began agitating for business, has decided to occupy the old Gerber stand on Lemon street as a branch store. He has needed more room for the past two years.

Mrs. N. F. Dillon and little daughter left yesterday morning for New York where they will remain indefinitely. Mr. Dillon, who has been connected with the Economy Grocery since its establishment, has severed his connection with that establishment and left yesterday evening for Galveston, Texas, where he has been tendered a position with a large trading company.

G. W. Newton and his little daughter, Clarice, returned from Tampa Wednesday evening, and will be here for a time. Little Miss Clarice whose bright and clever ways and stunts on the stage have been a source of much pleasure to Palatkans during the past year or more, has had offers from moving picture makers that are most flattering, and it is stated that in the full she will enter the employ of one of the big picture associations.

The man who does not advertise simply because his grandfather did not, should wear knee breeches and a wig, says an exchange. And the man who does not advertise because it costs money should discharge all his clerks and other help for the same reason. The man who does not advertise because he doesn't know how to write an advertisement, should quit eating, because he can't cook. The man who does not advertise because somebody said it did not pay, should not believe the world is round, because the ancients said it was flat.

Wertz Gray, superintendent of the railway mail service with headquarters in Jacksonville, spent several days in the city this week visiting his mother and other relatives. Besides having reached the highest niche in his department of the civil service, Mr. Gray is an attorney at law having a year or two ago been admitted to the bar before the supreme court of Florida. He said to The News that he wanted some time to come back to Palatka, hang out his shingle and engage in law practice. There will be a warm welcome awaiting him when he finally decides to do so.

Miss Ida Leib is home after a three months sojourn in North Carolina.

Mrs. J. N. Walton has as her guest this week, Mrs. Thomas of Gainesville.

County convicts are now at work grading the road from Rodman to Palatka.

Morgan Bohannon and little son of Bannerville were in the city last Wednesday.

The morning post in its issue of the other evening called him Harry K. Thaw.

Mrs. Edw. L. Mann has been spending several days with Miss Rowley at San Mateo.

Mrs. Julian de Nazario has returned from a week's visit with her parents in Nashua.

P. B. Watkins and S. J. Rogers of Putnam Hall were among the visitors from that section in the city on Wednesday.

Mayor I. F. Babers of Crescent City was in Palatka all day on Wednesday, coming over with friends in his touring car.

Mrs. Irene Leeks Haile will sing "Light of Love" at the morning service at the Presbyterian church next Sunday morning.

Mrs. J. H. Millican and Mrs. Fred Merrill and children have gone to Daytona Beach for a month's vacation which they will spend in one of the cottages.

Mrs. M. E. Boyd and Miss Ida Leib will spend some time at Silver Lake, enjoying an outing at that popular resort. They will motor back and forth in Miss Leib's car.

Mrs. Howell Davis entertained the Monday night bridge club, and Mrs. W. P. Merriam was hostess for the Tuesday club and will also entertain the Monday night club July 5th.

J. E. Bartlett and his daughter, Miss Martha of Crescent City were in the city on Wednesday. Mr. Bartlett is one of the progressive fruit growers and farmers of the peninsula.

Miss Belle Welch has as her guest Miss Ellen Bourne of Jacksonville. Miss Bourne has been visiting in Tampa and was guest at a house party in Pass-a-Grille given by Mrs. Perry Wall, before coming to Palatka.

C. H. Price and wife have returned from Salt Springs where they have been camping for several days. After a short stay in Palatka Mr. and Mrs. Price have gone to visit Mr. Price's father in the Melrose section.

Mayor S. J. Kennerly who is in Atlanta securing rest and recuperation, and who had been ill some time before leaving here, is reported some better. What we all want to hear is that he is entirely recovered and is coming back to smile at us again.

Miss Edith Kupperbusch will entertain a houseboat party at Daytona Beach, in the Osborn cottage, for a week or ten days. The party to leave here Saturday, includes Mrs. Garrison, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kupperbusch, Jr., Misses Daisy Livingston, Lulu Reed and Edith Kupperbusch.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Bogart have gone to Daytona Beach for a couple weeks or more for rest and recuperation. Mr. Bogart, who has been busy with his building work almost constantly since coming to Palatka, has not been feeling at his best the past week or more, and felt that he needed the change.

That is a wonderful window this week at the Tilghman Hardware Co.'s store. It contains a home made automobile, every article in the construction of which was selected from some article of hardware in stock. The Tilghmans offer a prize of \$5 in gold to the first person giving a complete list of the articles which enter into the make-up of this auto.

The ladies of the Baptist church will serve their chicken fry dinner on July 5th in the vacant store next to Miss Kate Lucas' millinery establishment, instead of the old Fry store as formerly announced. The menu will include such good things as fried chicken, green corn on the cob, hot home-made rolls, salads, sliced tomatoes, fried tea etc., all for 25 cents. The dinner will be served from 11:30 to 1:30. Ice will be served during the afternoon.

Miss Rowley came over from San Mateo Monday to be the guest of Mrs. Edw. L. Mann.

Mrs. Julia McIntosh departed for her home in Fenelon Falls, Canada, Wednesday morning.

Miss Julia McIver will leave next week for North Carolina, where she will spend a two month's vacation.

Miss Mary Alice Eaton, who has been taking a course in stenography under Miss Mabry, is assisting Secretary Elliott of the Board of Trade.

Superintendent S. P. Hollinrake of the Oklawaha Valley R. R. (formerly the Ocala Northern) was a business visitor in the city this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Q. Tilghman are having some extra pleasure these days in fondling little John Q. Tilghman, Jr., who made his debut in their home last Saturday.

With Volusia and Putnam counties planning brick highways to the St. Johns line, our sixty-four miles of creek, soon after completion, will form part of a splendid system.—St. Augustine Record.

Mrs. Richard Adams is in Atlanta in consultation with an eye specialist. Mr. Adams who accompanied her returned Wednesday, but Mrs. Adams will remain for some time under the doctor's care.

Chas. Francis of Interlachen was in the city on Wednesday en route home from a brief visit to New York. Mr. Francis makes frequent visits to the metropolis and other points of interest in the north, but rarely does he stay more than a week or two at a time. He likes his beautiful home at Interlachen, and who wouldn't?

Col. William Bloxham Crawford of the legal firm of Vans Agnew & Crawford, Kissimmee, was a business visitor in the city last Tuesday. Col. Crawford is a son of Secretary of State, Hon. H. Clay Crawford, and a grandson of that noble old Florida patriot, Hon. John L. Crawford who was himself for many years secretary of state.

D. A. Reed, grand ginseutis and viceroy of the ancient and sublime order of Hoo-Hos, or Black Cats of Florida, who makes Jacksonville headquarters has been spending the major portion of the week at the Sarnoga. Mr. Reed has been frequently seen on the streets during the week in company of some of our most respectable citizens.

Col. G. T. Graham of Crescent City (where he is an A 1 orange grower and farmer) and of St. Augustine (where he practices law and luxury) was in Palatka a couple days this week on legal business. Col. Graham has represented the Hunter family of Crescent City in the case of the State vs. Newman, and has assisted Col. E. Noble Calhoun, the State attorney.

Baseball at Rodman.

Yesterday the people of Rodman enjoyed a fine game of baseball between the team from Welaka and their home nine. A large crowd attended, the big mills being closed down for the day. Rodman won the game by a score of 13 to 12. Everybody happy, even Welaka.

Earnest Company's Sale.

As is the custom of this big house, the Earnest Company will inaugurate its big July Clearance Sale tomorrow; announcement of the sale, together with many of the special bargains offered, is made on page 5 of this paper. The Earnest Company doesn't do things on a small scale; it goes into these sales with a rush and with bargains that always interest the ladies. The coming sale will be no exception to this rule.

Death of Mrs. J. B. McKenzie.

Mrs. McKenzie of Miami, who will be pleasantly remembered in Palatka as Miss Emma Kurtze, died Thursday, June 24th, at Halcottville, N. Y., having gone there some six weeks ago for her health.

She is survived by her husband, John B. McKenzie, one son, William, and one daughter, Lilly Theo., a sweet little girl of ten years, and by her father, R. R. Kurtze, also of Miami. To them is extended the sincerest sympathy of their Palatka friends.

At the Klabfield Grand.

The Fourth of July picture program at the Klabfield Grand includes the popular "Romance of Elaine" which is one of the most popular picture plays shown in the country. On Tuesday will be seen William H. Crane in his great characterization of "David Harum." On Wednesday is the one regular picture representing Chas. Chaplin, the most popular comedian of the day in "The Tramp." Chaplin crowds Klabfield's every night to its capacity. Thursday night "Who Pays." Every one of these is a remarkable picture. Record crowds have attended this theater this week.

A Veteran who Made History.

Capt. J. H. Andrews of West Palm Beach was at the Saratoga hotel over Wednesday night, and left on the Thursday morning train for Ocala with F. W. Cook of that place for a visit with that gentleman, whose wife is the captain's granddaughter. Capt. Andrews is a delightful old gentleman and with whom a talk is a pleasure. He was for 50 years the commander of a vessel on the great lakes and was the first man to take a ship through the great locks of the Sault Ste. Marie canal. Capt. Andrews has lived in Florida a number of years, and while from his experience it is apparent that he has lived past the allotted span of life, he is still vigorous in mind and body and is filling a necessary, very much needed, place in the world as an example of the man of the middle last century who had a hand in the building of this nation.

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Then remember next Monday, Palatka is going to celebrate as never before. If you have any joy bottled up, uncork it Monday and let the knockers see what optimism looks like.

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Presbyterians Secure Dr. Alford.

There will be services in the Presbyterian church as usual next Sunday. Dr. Charles Alford, chaplain of Jacksonville Military Academy, has been appointed to supply the pulpit for a year, coming over Saturdays and leaving Monday evening. Dr. Alford is a powerful preacher and the church considers itself fortunate in securing the services of such an able man until they are in a position to call a regular pastor. For four months Dr. Alford will occupy the Presbyterian parsonage.

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